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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicant : William Romine, et al.
App. No : 09/713,479
Filed : November 15, 2000
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR QUIESCING SELECT
DATA MODIFICATION OPERATIONS AGAINST AN
OBJECT OF A DATABASE DURING ONE OR MORE
STRUCTURAL OPERATIONS
Examiner : Debbie M. Lee
Art Unit : 2168

WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Appellant hereby withdraws its September 22, 2006 Request for an Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the above-identified application. Appellant respectfully requests that the appeal in the above-identified application being decided on brief.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,
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